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For : A GENE DELIVERY VEHICLE EXPRESSING THE APOPTOSIS-  
INDUCING PROTEINS VP2 AND/OR APOPTIN

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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS  
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In response to a Notice to Form PCT/DO/EO/905 issued in connection with the above-identified application on December 22, 1999, a copy of which is enclosed, applicant hereby submits an original Declaration and Power of Attorney pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) and in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.63. The Declaration refers to the application's above-identified serial number and filing date.

The surcharge for submitting the Declaration and paying any fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e) is \$130.00. Accordingly, a check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed.

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If any other fees are required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 22, 2000

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